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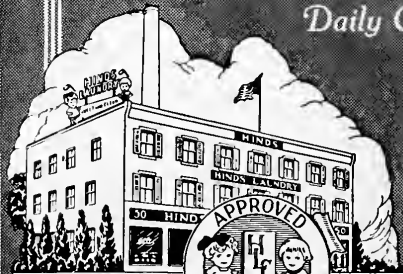


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The President's Page

VERY REVEREND WILLIAM J. MURPHY, S.J.

✚ One of the encouraging signs in university life today is the very definite turning toward spiritual values. Contemporary leaders of thought are unquestionably attempting to free themselves from the dead weight of materialism upon which they have leaned for a century or more, only to fall with its falling a decade ago. It will be some time before the forms created by two centuries of mechanistic thought can be replaced by forms based on spiritual concepts. The leaders of secular education at the moment are like men who, having dwelt a long time in the darkness, come out to face the sun. They will not easily become accustomed to its light.

One cannot pass quickly from a state of paganism "devoid of the sense of permanent values and abiding standards" to the certainty of unchanging truth. Their vision is dim, vague uncertain; it may be that they will turn eventually to another form of darkness. Some can see no difference between the moral and the aesthetic. "Beauty is truth and truth is beauty and that is all I know." To others spiritual vision rests in "calm repose and a sense of beauty." Another would aim at those truths which lift us out of ourselves. Others consider that the capacity for the determination of relative values is the same as spiritual discernment. Excellent as these objectives are in education, yet it is clear that they offer very little that is definite and forward-looking. The aura of materialism still clings to them; one feels that there is the danger of pouring new wine into the old skins of aestheticism and utilitarianism.

In considering the spiritual vitality of our own College one fact stands out in magnificent relief: one out of every eight members of the alumni body is a priest. Of these the greater part are members of the Diocese of Boston. At their head stands His Eminence, the Dean of the American Hierarchy, the most authoritative voice in American Catholic life and one of the great religious leaders of the Church. As his auxiliary there is the Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing whose great zeal for the foreign missions has placed the Diocese of Boston in the

very front rank as a center of mission activity. The College is rightfully proud — better, humbly grateful for this extraordinary proof of divine blessing. Of course we all realize that the College is not the sole influence in the shaping of priestly vocations. Vigorous Catholic home life, the example and encouragement of the parish priests, the power of the parochial schools, the outlook of the community toward the priesthood are major influences in supporting an ideal of life which is directly communicated by the Holy Spirit. Yet the College very evidently is the focal influence, the laboratory in which the final testing is made, the mirror in which the ideal is clearly seen in its relation to other plans of life, is broadened in the stream of Catholic culture, and deepened by the conscious rejection of other ideals.

Year after year the hosting is held and another group of students dedicate themselves to the following of Christ. The transitory movements of contemporary life, fashions in spirituality which affect secular institutions so radically seem to brush us but lightly. The mauve decade, the war generation, the wastelanders, the chorus for survival are phases which, however aptly they may hit off the spiritual attitudes of the past two score years, have little meaning when applied to our own students. Undergraduates in their inexperience are often like marionettes dancing to the strings of the master. There is often in their utterances the suggestion of ventriloquism, especially if the views appeal to the adolescent urge to flaunt the classical adage which is as valid for ideals as for words: "Be not the first boy by whom the new are tried." The spiritual life of our students is too deeply rooted in the sources of the supernatural and sacramental to be withered by recurring doubts.

The significance then of this splendid element in the Alumni body, more than any other single fact gives us firm assurance that in a troubled and changing world the College has kept to its chartered path.

On the Heights

RECEPTION TO RECTOR

✚ A Boston College with 8000 students and a number of new buildings sufficient to accommodate this group was the prediction of Very Rev. William J. Murphy, S.J., President of the College, in his first formal address to the Alumni at a reception tendered by the Alumni Association on Thursday, October 19, in the Assembly Hall.

"We will see the realization of a part of the architect's dream of a beautiful Boston College, not in the next few years, but certainly within our lifetime," said Father Murphy in discussing the future of the College. He continued, "but it is not so much the building but the continuance of the good accomplished by our students and alumni in the localities where they work and where they reside that should concern us now."

Rt. Rev. Mgr. Francis L. Phelan, '13, Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Boston, brought the greetings of His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell, '81, Archbishop of Boston, to Father Rector.

Superior Court Justice John E. Swift, '99, pledged the continued support of the Alumni to the new President in the difficult tasks that lie ahead.

Francis J. Roland, '19, President of the Alumni Association, presided as chairman. Other speakers were John J. Hogan, '14, representing the Boston College Club of Lawrence; Dr. John E. Hopkins, '16, a classmate of Father Rector's; and T. Harney Donohue, President of the Class of 1934.

The program was interspersed with selections by the Alumni Glee Club under the direction of Theodore N. Marier, '34.

Following the program the alumni were introduced to the new president personally.

ALUMNI SUPPER DANCE

✚ The twelfth annual supper dance on the night before the Boston College-Holy Cross football game will be held this year at the Hotel Statler on December 1.

Alumni President Francis J. Roland, '19, has appointed John S. Keohane, '14, general chairman of the committee in charge of the dance. Assisting the general chairman are: Gerald F. Coughlin, '23, Chairman of the Reception Committee; William Arthur Reilly, '25, Chairman of the Hotel Committee; Henry J. Smith, '22, Chairman of the Entertainment Committee; John J. Walsh, '15, Chairman of the Patrons Committee; J. Robert Brawley, '20, Chairman of the Publicity Committee;

PARADE OF THE CLASSES

1904

WILLIAM T. MILLER

113 Tyndale Street, Roslindale

✚ This class numbered exactly thirty men receiving degrees. At this time, thirty-five years after their graduation, eight of these are dead, one ill, and one missing. The other twenty are divided as follows: Business 6; Pastors 5; Education 4; Lawyers 3; Jesuit 1; Literary Work 1.

In the Boston Public School system **Michael J. Downey** is Assistant Superintendent, **John V. Barrett** is head of Department in Commercial Branches at the High School of Commerce, **James A. Crowley** is Headmaster of the R. G. Shaw School in West Roxbury, and **William T. Miller**, Headmaster of the Washington Irving in Roslindale.

The assistance of all Boston College men is requested in an effort to discover the address of **Joachim P. Shea**, a member of this class who has not been heard from for many years. Anyone having information concerning Mr. Shea is asked to communicate with the Alumni office.

1910

WILLIAM F. MACK

50 Brush Hill Road, Milton

WHO'S WHO IN 1939

Charles A. Birmingham, LL.D., Media Records, Inc., New York.

James A. Coveney, President, Shopping Newspapers, New York.

Rev. James V. Cronin, Pastor, St. Paul's, Hamilton.

Rev. John W. Culhane, Chaplain, Holy Ghost Hospital, Cambridge.

Rev. John E. Doherty, Pastor, Westboro, Mass.

Rev. Gerald L. Dolan, Pastor, St. Margaret Mary's, Westwood.

BOSTON COLLEGE

John L. Glynn, Lawyer, Cambridge.
Joseph F. Golden, M.D., Medical Examiner, Stoughton.
Rev. Ambrose Hennessey, Pastor, Our Lady of Pompeii, Boston.
Edward P. Hoyer, Lumber Business, Boston.
Rev. Louis F. Kelleher, Pastor, Canton.
Francis T. Keville, Business, Arlington.
John J. Kirby, Business, Winthrop.
Rev. Stephen Koen, S.J., Professor, Boston College.
Joseph E. Lynch, Master, Hugh O'Brien District, Roxbury.
William F. Mack, Master, Henry Grew District, Hyde Park.
Charles E. Mansfield, Business, Wollaston.
Thomas J. McGrath, Business, Brockton.
Rev. William F. McHale, S.J., Missionary, Jamaica, B. W. I.
Rev. John F. Monahan, Major, U. S. A., Washington, D. C.
Rev. Frederick J. Mulrey, Pastor, Milis, Mass.
Dr. Edward J. O'Brien, Surgeon, St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Brighton.
Rev. Patrick J. O'Connell, Pastor, Holbrook.
Francis J. O'Hara, Master, Cambridge Public Schools.
George H. Pearce, Master, Washington Allston District, Brighton.
Alphonse J. Peters, M.D., Newburyport, Mass.
Edward T. Ryan, President, Iron Works, Allston.
Leo F. Supple, Business, Hasbrouk Heights, N. J.
Rev. Daniel H. Sullivan, S.J., Boston College High School.
Louis A. White, Business, School Supplies, Jamaica Plain.

1911

WALTER C. WINSTON
 22 Neponset Avenue, Hyde Park

The annual reunion of the class will be held at the Boston City Club on Thursday, December 28. Once a year regularly '11 men meet and renew the lasting friendships made during college days. The spirit of our class is one hundred per cent.

Dr. Ed Cummings who is in the government service in Washington, is vice-president of the B. C. Club formed there.

Fr. John Flaherty died during the summer. He had been active in the mission field in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Francis J. Facey, '18, Chairman of the Program Committee and **John P. Hanrahan**, '33, Chairman of the Reservations Committee.

Tickets for the dance are on sale at the Alumni Office. The subscription is the same as in former years — \$6.00 per couple.

Walter L. Mayo, '23, whose orchestra played at the dance last year so admirably, has been engaged again this year to supply the music.

An excellent floor show featuring **Tom Harty**, '31, and **Larry Thornton**, '27, along with several other top-notch entertainers has been arranged.

Reservations can be made at the Alumni Office (CENTER Newton 3356). Preferred positions available in the ball room will be allotted in the order of receipt of payment.

The Alumni Supper Dance has taken its place as one of the leading social events on the Boston calendar. The advance demand for tickets has been in excess of previous years and all indications point to the most successful party that has yet been held.

JONES I. CORRIGAN FOUNDATION

The committee of the Jones I. Corrigan Foundation announces two lectures to be given this season. December 10 at 3.30 in the afternoon in the main ball room of the Copley Plaza Hotel, the Reverend Terence L. Connolly, S.J., will discuss "The Real Ireland" in a lecture illustrated by colored views taken by Father Connolly during his recent visit to Ireland.

On Friday evening, January 5, at 8 o'clock, also at the Copley Plaza, the Right Reverend Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen will speak on "The Tempo of Modern Revolution."

Tickets may be obtained at the Alumni Office, St. Mary's Hall, Copley Plaza Ticket Office, Herrick's, and 63 Commonwealth Avenue.

ALUMNI BOWLING LEAGUE

The rumble of bowling balls, the crash of pins mingle with cheers and groans every Monday night in the vicinity of Washington Street and Cornhill as a reminder to the passer-by that the Alumni Bowling League is in full swing at Clem Dore's (1904) New Boston Alleys.

Each Monday night until the last of April twenty teams representing eleven Boston College Clubs toe the line in keen competition. They slide over foul lines, lob balls and throw them down the gutter far more frequently than they score spares or strikes. The post mortems are something to listen to and they invariably conclude with "wait till next week."

The competition, team and individual, is extremely sharp and the way the boys go for the average sheet is sufficient evidence of the seriousness with which they take their scores.

At the present time Cambridge "A" is leading, followed closely by Brighton, The Heights Club, Dorchester "A" and Quincy.

In the individual averages **Jim Maguire**, '39, of Malden-Medford-Melrose, **Dave Meaney**, '34, of Quincy, and **Ray Scott**, '26, of Cambridge "A" are having a battle for top place with any of a half dozen waiting to take over if one of the top three slip.

The alumni are invited to visit the theatre of operations any Monday night and a good time is assured.

THE UNDERGRADUATE SEMESTER

☞ Boston College students returned from the mountains, shores and A&P Stores on September 20, to begin the undergraduate school year which is now in its seventy-seventh session. The changes which took place while the future Alumni were vacationing were many and affected not only the faculty but student body as well.

At the opening assembly of the classes back in September we gathered in the Library Auditorium where we were addressed by Very Rev. William J. Murphy, S.J., our new President, who extended a cordial welcome to us from himself and the members of the faculty. Rev. Thomas A. Fay, S.J., our Dean of Discipline, was the next to speak, and he explained his duties as briefly as possible. Rev. Patrick H. Collins, S.J., Faculty Athletic Director, was acclaimed by the students when in the course of his talk he promised every one a seat on the fifty-yard line for the Holy Cross game.

Rev. James J. McGovern, S.J., a favorite of all Boston College men for many years, was then introduced as the successor to Rev. Richard Rooney, S.J., as Student Counsellor at the College. Father McGovern gave a brief outline of his duties, and then closed with an admonition to the students that they protect their spiritual welfare. This brought us to our first introduction with our new Dean, Rev. John J. Long, S.J., who expressed himself as very fortunate and happy in his new post. He then spoke briefly on the importance of Catholic Education in these critical days, and concluded his talk with an explanation of the scholastic policy that is to be followed this year.

Among the changes which Father Long cited was the departure from the customary quarterly report cards in favor of semester reports. In brief, the students will no longer know their scholastic standing at the end of the respective marking periods which number four in all. That is, the student will be unaware of his class standing unless he is failing. In such a case a letter is sent to the student's parents warning of approaching disaster unless a reformation takes place. In the future, marks will be disclosed at the conclusion of the two semesters, and quarterly examinations will be termed mid-semester examinations. Although other changes were noted, the only other comparatively important one is the fact that beginning with the Freshmen and applicable to the Seniors is the rule that a general average of 70% is necessary for graduation.

The football squad, under the guidance of Coach Frank Leahy, wasted no time in getting started with their work, in fact they were at it when school opened. Lebanon Valley was the first opponent and they were trounced 45-0. St. Joseph's College of Philadelphia was the next opponent. This game was a novelty for the students in as much as it was a night game and at the same time an escort game. Father Collins opened the student section to the students and their fair escorts, following a policy inaugurated last year. The Eagles won the game 20-6 and the Rose Bowl whisper was heard about school. But, this whisper was strangled when Florida came to Boston and went back home with a 7-0 verdict in their favor.

Next to visit Boston were the Temple Owls from Philadelphia. Coach Leahy's boys bounded back from their Florida defeat in this game and took with them a 19-0 win over their guests. The following week the Eagles scored 28 points while holding St. Anselm's College from Manchester scoreless. Then came Auburn all the way from Alabama and the Maroon and Gold, now wearing white jerseys, came up with 13 points in the fourth period to win a thriller 13-7.

sas, for many years. Great honor and tribute from men in all walks of life was paid to him at his funeral. We of '11 mourn his passing and say, a fervent "requiescat in pace."

Nearly all our members of the clergy have been made pastors and are doing splendid work as shepherds of their flocks.

The many in our class who entered the teaching field have reached the heights and are Master of schools in Boston.

In medicine, in law, and in the business field '11 men have made their mark and brought credit to themselves and to their Alma Mater.

Rev. Edward M. Horigan, formerly assistant at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Everett, was recently made parish priest at St. Cecilia's Church in Ashland.

Fr. Edward U. Conroy, first resident chaplain of Deer Island, was recently appointed parish priest in Hudson, Mass.

1913

THOMAS E. FITZPATRICK

161 Leyden Street, Orient Heights

☞ **Rev. Thomas J. Brennon** was recently appointed Pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church in Revere after serving for some years as Superintendent of St. Elizabeth's Hospital. He was given a reception by the parishioners at General Edwards Inn in October.

John B. Casey has been appointed Headmaster of Roxbury Memorial High School.

Francis A. Mangon (manganese dioxide) has been on the faculty of West Warwick, R. I., High School for some years and is still rooting hard for the Eagle football teams, witness Frank Maznicki, this year's star right half-back.

1915

JOHN J. WALSH

15 Pond View Avenue, Jamaica Plain

☞ **Michael L. "Terry" McGovern**, former miler on the track team, is confined to the City Hospital by illness.

Dr. William R. Supple is practising in Boston.

Edmund J. Brandon is Federal District Attorney for Massachusetts.

Father Dick Quinlan is Diocesan Director of Parochial Schools.

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Father John J. Allston is at St. Patrick's parish in Lowell.

Philip Bond is chief examiner for the Boston public schools.

Bob Burns, prominent Newton realtor, assisted Coach Leahy to find a home in Newton when he moved his family here recently.

We are pleased to report that **Jim Day** has recovered from his recent illness.

Ed Farmer is practising law in Boston. He makes his home in Swampscott.

Dr. James F. Gallagher is practising in Malden and lives in Newton.


Father Stephen Moran is a member of the Executive Board of the Alumni Association.

Jim Linehan employed a number of the athletes while he was superintendent of Suffolk Downs.

1916

JAMES L. O'BRIEN

41 Pondred Circle, Jamaica Plain

 **Rev. Thomas J. Feeney, S.J.**, has been made Superior of the entire Mission in Jamaica and Rector of St. George's College.

Leo Halloran and his family have arrived home from Europe.

We ask your prayers for the soul of **Dr. Harry Doherty**, a very loyal alumnus. Harry would have made you proud of B. C.

If you want to know why 1916 is the best class ask the genial **Doctor Arthur Falvey**. He is one of Brighton's leading dentists.

1917

Froik Limont is Superintendent of Agents for the Pan-American Life Insurance Co. in New Orleans, La.


Frank Heanue is New England advertising representative for the New York Times.

Thomas A. Printon is associated with the National Oil Products Co., and resides in South Orange, N. J.

1918

WILLIAM M. CASHIN

179 Robbins Street, Milton

 **Dick Walsh**, office manager for the Massachusetts State Employment Service in Haverhill, resides at 257 Merrimac Street, Newburyport.

John A. Canavan, charter member of the 1918 Bald Eagles is a special assistant to Attorney General Frank Murphy.

So, once again, that post-season Bowl whisper is assuming proportions as the club heads for Detroit and its sixth win of the season.

While the athletes were getting their activities started, the two literary organs of the school made ready for their opening issues. "The Heights," with Editor-in-Chief Arthur V. Cullen of Forest Hills at the helm, made its first appearance on Friday, September 29. Cullen, who succeeds Andy O'Brien of Milton, is handling Tabloid, while Gerard Converse of Quincy takes over Joe McCarthy's "In One Ear . . ." column, and Jim Kean is back again with his "Through the Eagle's Eye" sports column. This year the paper is celebrating its twentieth anniversary as the official weekly organ of the college.

"The Stylus," written in a different vein and published monthly, suffered a loss in the ranks of its editors. Wendell Turley, the incoming editor, was stricken during the summer and passed on before he had a chance to assume his duties. Joseph Vinburg was appointed Editor-in-Chief in place of the deceased editor. John Moynihan and Paul Duffey have assumed the duties of assistant editors. Right now, strange as it is, it looks as if "The Heights" and "Stylus" have buried the hatchet since the "Stylus" was favorably reviewed by "The Heights" staff in its first appearance, and responded by letting the journalists use their wicker chairs on Wednesday nights when the paper goes to press.

A minor regulation now in effect here at University Heights is the new traffic system. We have a one-way traffic law which routes cars entering from Commonwealth Avenue to the right around the Tower Building, and the parking space is also under this regulation. Officer Malachy McGrath is on duty every day to see that these rules are carried out.

In the lunchroom there was also a general renovation. A new floor was laid and new seats installed. The walls were also given a new and brighter coat, and pictures of our illustrious predecessors in the world of sports were taken from their hiding places and dusted off for the admiration of the students.

With the students finally acclimated, everything returned to normal, the work began in a serious vein. In extra-curricular activities, the Sodality was the first to begin its meetings. Under the guidance of Rev. Francis J. Coyne, S.J., the Sodalists held a very interesting meeting and promised an eventful year for its members.

Of major interest to the undergraduates, especially to the Seniors, was the announcement from the office of the Dean that the members of the Senior Honor Society, The Cross and Crown Society, had been selected with Edmund J. Kenny of Salem appointed as Knight Commander. In all, seventy-one students were honored with admission to the society.

Although they had been in school a little more than a month, the Freshman class, some four hundred strong, soon made their presence felt as they made ready for their annual Freshman Day which was held on November 2. Any doubts that November and its election days were a long way off were quickly dispelled by the appearance of placards informing the Frosh whom to vote for and whom not to vote for. The climax of the day, high-lighted by a victory over the Boston University Frosh on the football field, was the evening banquet at which it was announced that George Criss of Boston was elected President of the class and Gilbert Walker of Everett, Vice-President.

That, in brief, is a summary of what has been going on at Boston College since the opening of school. All in all, it looks like we are in for a banner year.

JAMES M. KEAN, '40.

THE LAW SCHOOL

✚ The Law School began its eleventh year with a registration of three hundred and thirteen. New members of the resident faculty are: Dean William J. Kenealy, S.J., A.B., A.M., Ph.D., S.T.L., LL.B., member of the Bar of the District of Columbia, who is teaching Criminal Law; Professor Jerome J. Downey, A.B., LL.B., LL.M., member of the Bar of the District of Columbia, who is conducting the courses in Contracts and Agency; Assistant Professor Gerald J. O'Leary, B.B.A., M.B.A., LL.B., member of the Bar of Massachusetts, who will teach the course in Taxation in the second semester. Mr. O'Leary is also Librarian of the Law School and Faculty Supervisor of Law-Club Activities.

Professor Cornelius J. Moynihan, A.B., LL.B., senior member of the resident faculty, has been made Faculty Supervisor of the Nisi Prius Club. This organization has arranged an attractive series of lectures by prominent figures of the Bench and Bar during the coming year.

A Student Advisory Council has been formed at the Law School. Its membership is comprised of the presidents of all classes and the students with the highest academic standing in each of the upper classes.

The personal law library of the late Justice James B. Carroll of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts has been presented to the Law School by the eminent jurist's widow, Mrs. Mary E. Carroll of Springfield.

Judge Carroll's books had been kept at his Springfield home since the time of his death in 1932, in keeping with his desire that the volumes with which he had worked for over fifty years at the Bar and at the Bench should be preserved intact. The Boston College Law School was selected as the depository of his library because of Judge Carroll's intimate relations with the Jesuit Fathers from the time of his studies at Holy Cross College, from which he was graduated in 1878, until his death.

The Carroll Library, consisting of approximately two thousand volumes of law reports, legal treatises, and periodicals, will be made the nucleus of a special collection in the Law School's Library and will be housed in a new room adjoining the present library. The new room, now in process of construction is to be called the Carroll Reading Room in honor of the late Justice. A large oil portrait, for which Justice Carroll sat some ten years ago, will be hung in the Reading Room in the midst of the books which he loved and used so well throughout his professional career.

During the Christmas recess, the main library of the Law School will be considerably enlarged to provide for the accession of a large number of state reports, law reviews, legal treatises, and supplementary material.

THE VARSITY CLUB

✚ President Robert G. Simmons, '19, has announced that the Varsity Club's fourth annual dinner and reception to the football team will be held at the University Club on January 24. Owen Dooley, '28, is general chairman and is being assisted by the following committee chairmen: John Keohane, '14, Tom Gately, '20, Ray Finnegan, '27, Jerry Mahoney, '21, Hugh McGrath, '01, Bill Ohrenberger, '27, Tom Gemelli, '28, and James Curley, '33. Owen A. Gallagher, '23, has been selected as toastmaster.

David Daler is a public accountant for the firm of Haskins & Sells in Boston and lives in Brackton.

Rev. Harry M. O'Connor is rector of the Holy Cross Cathedral in Boston.

Rev. John J. McEleney, S.J., is the rector of Shodowbrook, the Jesuit Novitiate in Lenox, Mass. His family consists of "100 little Jebbies."

Frank Frazier, sub-Master of the Donold McKay School in Boston, is a member of the School Committee in Newton. Frank is also Principal of the Patrick F. Gavin Evening School in South Boston, and a member of the Newton Legion Guard, thrice national champion drill team of the American Legion.

Francis M. Nolan is an auditor at the Cambridge City Hospital. Frank has four children.

Dr. Edward C. Smith is a practising physician in Brighton where he resides with his wife and son. Ed is also assistant professor of Pediatrics at B. U. Medical School and instructor in Communicable Diseases in the Harvard Medical School and Harvard School of Public Health.

Dr. John P. Creed is practising in Haverhill, specializing in surgery and obstetrics. Jack has three children.

J. Vincent Murray is a funeral director in Revere. Vin has one child.

Harold J. Anderson is a field manager for the Century Indemnity Co., with offices in Hartford, Conn. He resides in Manchester, Conn., and has three children.

The family of realtor John J. McNamara consists of two sons. John is living at 74 Arborway, Jamaica Plain.

Rev. Remi B. Schuver is chaplain at St. John's Preparatory School in Danvers, Mass.

Two of the leading bachelors from 1918 are Lewis G. Sullivan, who lives at 23 Chestnut Street, Marblehead, and James F. Drew at 359 Arlington Street, Watertown.

Rev. John P. Flanagan, S.J., is attached to St. Mary's Parish, 45 Cooper Street, Boston.

Have you returned your post card? If not please do so as soon as possible so that we may have the information for the next issue.

To date there are only four known candidates for the inner circle of the "Bald Eagles of 1918" besides your correspondent. Reading, left to right, they are Dick Crowley, Johnny Manley, Fr. Schuver and John Canavan. How about you?

Among the members of 1918 included in the Necrology of Alma Mater are: **Angus J. Chisholm, William T. Doherty, Edward B. Heaphy, Rev. Daniel F. Herlihy, George F. Ritter, Rev. Cornelius J. Cotter and Joseph L. Shanahan.** Remember them in your prayers.

Frank Facey reports from Cambridge where he resides and runs a printing business which produces ALUMNI NEWS.

Ray Bruning is a Federal employee, lives in Sherburn, has nine children, a farm and an application on file for the Bald Eagles Club.

Jack Sargent writes from Garden City, N. Y., that he has acquired a wife, child, home and mortgage within a year and is now looking for new worlds to conquer. Jack is a construction engineer with the New York Telephone Co.

Dr. Ed Kickham has been adopted by the Class of 1919 and given the class presidency as an inducement to desert the ranks of 1918. Ed is practicing in Boston and specializing in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Lt. Commander Clarence H. Pike has had command of the U. S. S. J. Fred Talbot for the past two years. For the past year he has been on duty in Panama waters. Clarence has retained his red hair and a reasonable waist line.

Tom Reynolds, attorney at law with Winston, Strawn and Shaw, in Chicago, is "ineligible to join Bald Eagles (D. G.)—still 6 ft., 2 in.—slightly heavier, 190 lbs., but streamlined—beautiful wife and family of six children contribute largely to the preservation of wavy auburn locks, but expense incidental to support thereof in reasonable Christian decency is believed to be the cause of the occasional gray hair found lurking in the family comb."

John M. O'Loughlin, librarian at the College, has three children and a great deal of trouble keeping his hair out of his eyes.

Father Tom Brennan is attached to St. Mary's parish in Boston where he will welcome members of '18 individually or in small groups preferably. Father Brennan is one of our most loyal rooters.

Bill Herlihy is a partner in the Lowell Counter Co. and resides in Bradford. He has two children. Bill is a water commissioner in Haverhill, chair officer of the Haverhill B. P. O. E., and Pres. of the Bradford Catholic Club.

THE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

Herewith is presented a Who's Who among the graduates of the School of Social Work.

CLASS OF 1938

FRANCIS C. AHERN, Case Worker, Catholic Charitable Bureau, Bridgeport, Conn.

DANIEL J. BOUDREAU*, Case Worker, Bureau of Catholic Charities, Baltimore, Md.

PAUL M. BRESNAHAN*, Case Worker, New York Catholic Protectors Association, New York, N. Y.

ROBERT F. CAHILL*, Executive Secretary, Waltham Community Fund, Inc., Waltham, Mass.

JOHN F. CAIRNS, Children's Worker, District Board of Public Welfare, Washington, D. C.

JOHN J. CONNELLY*, Case Worker, Works Progress Administration, Boston, Mass.

ROBERT E. CURRAN*, Case Worker, Catholic Social Service Bureau, New Haven, Conn.

FREDERICK H. DOWNS, Jr., Parole Officer, Superior Court, Providence, R. I.

WILLIAM J. ELLIS*, Case Worker, Works Progress Administration, Brockton, Mass.

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Michael J. Maher is connected with the Curtis Publishing Co. and makes his home in Mapleshade, N. J.

Edward F. Groboski is a marine engineer with the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Co. Ed makes his home in Detroit.

1919

EDWARD L. KICKHAM, M. D.
270 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston

 **President Francis J. Roland** of the Alumni Association presided at the reception to Father Rector and certainly did himself proud. Frank is truly representative of this class and we are proud of him.

Bernard Donovan is handling his new position as head of the Department of History at High School of Commerce in his usual efficient manner. He was seen at the Reception to Father Rector.

Henry Gillen, our Poet Laureate, was also present at the reception. He is getting the machinery oiled up for another big job, namely his annual appearance as Post Santa Claus.

Chris Garrahan, who is the representative of the Employers' Liability Insurance Company in the Framingham District is also a Trustee of the Framingham Hospital.

The entire Class was shocked to learn of the rather sudden death of **Alphonsus Doyle**, well known contractor. Al was a very loyal and enthusiastic Alumnus and we shall miss him very much. Our sympathy has been extended to his widow and family.


Father Martin Harney is in great demand as a speaker and lecturer. He has some wonderful pictures of Europe which he describes in true Burton Holmes style

We should like to hear from our loyal friends in the Lowell District. **Joe McAvinnue** should let us hear from them.

The Class is going to attempt to sit together at the annual supper dance the night before the Holy Cross game. Get in touch with the President if you plan to attend.

1920


J. ROBERT BRAWLEY
560 Lagrange Street, West Roxbury

 The twentieth annual banquet and reunion of the Class of 1920 will be held at the Victoria Hotel, Copley Square, on the evening of Wednesday, November 15.

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ALUMNI GLEE CLUB



 About twenty members of the Club meet on Wednesday evenings with Miss Marie Pierrique, the foremost authority in the country on Plain Chant. Miss Pierrique is in Boston in connection with the publishing of her books on the origins of Plain Chant. She was one of the speakers at the Boston Public Library during Catholic Book Week.

Miss Pierrique plans to have a choir selected from among the members of the Club give an N. B. C. broadcast in the Spring.

New members added to the Club's roster since the beginning of the year are: Edward B. Hall, '39; Francis X. Murphy, '39; Gerard V. Jones, '38; Dr. Frank M. O'Connor, '32, and Dr. Francis H. Higgins, '30.

Determined to make this affair the greatest in class history, a committee has been working under the direction of the class officers for the past month and promises to have every '20 man there.

On this committee are **Rev. John J. Lane, Leo Aicardi, Bill Bond, Joseph Burke, John Clark, Edwin Crowley, John Degan, Frank Dillon, Ned Finnegan, Tom Gately, Arthur Hinchey, Dan Lucey, Ed McKeown, Leo Magann, James Walsh and Joe White.** Seen in *The Guardian* (Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 1) picture of **Ed Roddan** on the steps of Castelgandolfo with Postmaster General Farley and his daughters following an audience with His Holiness Pope Pius XII.

Dr. John N. Cody is chief surgeon at St. Francis' Hospital in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

1921

GORDON F. IRONS

9 Emmonsdales Road, West Roxbury

A dinner and reunion will be held at the Hotel Kenmore on Thursday, December 28, according to announcement by **President Jerry Mahoney.**

Reports from Bangor, Maine, inform us that **Dr. Irving F. Gregory** is distinguishing himself as a playwright as well as in his chosen profession. The Gregory household includes a likely looking prospect for future Eagle football teams.

George T. White is with the Connecticut Savings Bank and makes his home in New Haven.

Thomas J. Bunyon is still working in the advertising department of the "Boston American," where he has been since graduation.

Paul M. Burke is another West Roxbury home owner. He lives on St. Theresa Avenue.

Judge John J. Burns is now a director of the United Corporation of New York, a large public utilities holding company.

Leo J. Callanan, United States consul at Barcelona, has recently been home with Mrs. Callanan on a visit.

Charles A. Coyle is now secretary of the Boston Chamber of Commerce.

Rev. William H. Cusick, S.J., is now serving as treasurer of his Alma Mater, Boston College High School.

Joseph J. Doyle has transferred his activities to Cleveland from St. Louis. He is now working in the national ad-

AT THE BUSINESS COLLEGE

☞ As our alumni, friends and fellow-countrymen have been inquiring more and more about the progress of our new College of Business Administration, I find on this Sunday morning that I must sacrifice the hour or so I would otherwise spend in reading Moon Mullins and the write-up of that thrilling B. C.-Auburn game and devote it to a little writing instead.

The ALUMNI NEWS goes to press tomorrow and the editor threatened me with thirty-nine blows from that Irish blackthorn of his if I did not comply. He set the limit at "forty stripes minus one" following a keen Semitic instinct because I am on the faculty.

So now I shall go on with my Sunday composition recking not what mark he may give me. Well, the Business College, as you know, is the fifth of Alma Mater's offspring. It was in her seventy-fifth year exactly that the big, bouncing baby was born. Mother did fairly well but the baby did even better. Proof? Well, Alma Mater fell more deeply into the red while the Business College managed to stay in the black.

If you want to know the one responsible for keeping the Business College out of danger in its first perilous year of existence, I'll name the name. You can all give "a regular Boston" for Dean James J. Kelley, S.J., '14, upon whose shoulders was placed the wearying load of founding and developing a school in deep dark, depression days with practically nothing upon which to rely save the good wishes and promises of advice that others have gained from their years of experience. Obviously one needs a good deal more than that to make the difficult passage from the "posse" to the "esse" stage.

It is singularly worthy of note that while most institutions begin from the ground floor and work up, we began on the top floor and are working down. Last year we leased the top floor at 126 Newbury St. for the use of our first freshman class. With seventy-eight incoming freshmen this year we were forced to take over half the space on the fifth floor for an accounting laboratory, lecture hall, teachers' room and an office. This should give the lie to Stalin and Hitler who contend that all expansion must be horizontal.

As a school grows, so must a faculty grow. Don't deny that, friends, it's an apothegm. This year we have seven new members on our faculty. There's a new assistant dean who runs Father Kelley's errands and takes over the elevator whenever the elevator man goes out for a quick one. He is the same fellow who gave up reading Moon Mullins and the sports page to furnish you with a little pabulum.

Then you have Father Stephen A. Shea, S. J., whom we located on James Street. We figured that he was wasting his freshness on the desert air down there and he has gallantly answered the summons "to come higher."

Next comes Mr. Frederick T. Bryan who came to us from Harvard and is still grumbling about something or other that Bill Cunningham said. Fred is in our accounting department. Recently at the Freshman Banquet I introduced him to Lieutenant Orsatti of the Italian Secret Service. It seemed that he fell "hook, line and sinker" for that imposter.

Senor Eduardo Gomez-Duran is our new professor of Spanish and French. He has the distinction of being the Colombian consul in Boston.

Dr. Eduardo Azuola, an assistant consul for Costa Rica divides his time between teaching Spanish on The Heights and down in the low-lands of Newbury Street.

Robert F. Buck, '29, instructs in Economics, and William

J. Collins, '36, is an instructor in Business Organization and a teaching fellow in Accounting.

The Sodality has plans for an interesting and practical year. With the proceeds of a raffle the boys hope to be able to aid some two hundred needy families at Christmas time. In this matter we shall be guided by wiser heads at the School of Social Work.

The Debating Council is proceeding with plans for weekly debates.


Very shortly the Economics Academy, the Business Club, the English and Modern Language Societies will start rolling and don't come around later looking for moss. Remember that apothegm?

Commodore Vanderbilt, besides having thirteen children, had three very good ideas which we intend to inculcate at the Business College: (1) To know your business; (2) To attend to it; (3) To keep down expenses until your fortune is safe from business perils. He also had another good one: "Never tell what you are going to do until you have done it."

That last goes for all who have been asking what we are going to do next year when we have our first Junior Class. Frankly, I don't know. If you are impatient, consult your local Delphic Oracle.

REV. GEORGE A. KING, S.J.

"TAMING OF THE SHREW" AT THE REPERTORY

 The Boston College Dramatic Society opens its sixty-second season with the production of Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew" on the evenings of December sixth and seventh, at the Repertory Theatre, Huntington Avenue. The play is, no doubt, the most amusing farce ever written in any language, and the present production bids fair to provide a laugh a minute.

Most of the characters have been seen before in the various plays of the past season, but several newcomers are a welcome addition to the forces of the Society. Among these are Thomas Curran, who has been seen locally in several Blackfriar productions and played leads last year with the C. H. L. S. players; John Oberg, transferring from the Catholic University Blackfriars; Roger Baker, lately seen with Catherine Cornell, transferring from the "Mask and Bauble" at Seton Hall College; John McNaught, for several years, lead in the Malden Players, and Robert Lacey of Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Los Angeles and Newton Center, will play Bianca.

Bob Henderson, seen last year as Dr. Keble, will play the dashing Petruchio; Leo Murphy, of last year's playshop, sacrifices himself to take the rather uncomfortable role of Kate, the Shrew; and Del Duquette, admirable last year as St. John, will do the romantic second-lead of Lucentio. In the various comedy roles, Edmund Finnerty, President of the Society, will roister as Sly; Constantine Pappas, who did the engaging bit as the Rector in Second Spring, will appear as Grumio; Everett Good, will duplicate his hit as Mr. Golightly, with the similar role of Gremio; Arthur Jones, highly amusing as the idiotic Curtis; and Richard Keating, who has played the leading role in Ion, and the Pope in Second Spring has a chance to show his versatility in the comedy part of Biondello.

All in all, The Taming should not be missed. At the very least the Dramatic Society can promise a night of good laughs. Forget your worries at the Repertory on the evenings of December sixth or seventh, at eight-thirty.

vertising department of one of Cleveland's largest newspapers.

Cornelius Flynn is now working as an architect in New York City.

Robert E. Foy is still on duty at Foy's Market in Quincy.

Rev. John J. Kirby is now senior curate at St. Matthew's Church, Dorchester.

Supt. Lincoln D. Lynch of Norwood was elected President of the Norfolk County Teachers' Association at the 91st annual convention of the Association held October 27 in Ford Hall.

Arthur F. McCarthy is now connected with the legal division of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

John J. McGrath of the math department of Dorchester Boys High School recently bought a home at 104 Maple Street, West Roxbury.

Ralph Monks of the Theodore Roosevelt School is one of the most faithful attendants of the class at various B. C. affairs.

Thomas A. O'Connor is still working in the photography department of the "Boston Globe."

James I. Rooney is now a legal light for the Federal Trade Commission.

Eugene J. Sullivan, one of Wakefield's leading lawyers, is now doing a great deal of work in Boston.


John D. Walsh, located in New York as district manager of the Hamilton Automatic Register Co. with offices in the Empire State Building, recently visited Boston and saw the B. C.-St. Anselm's game.

John A. Mahoney, who attends many of the B. C. affairs with "Jerry" Mahoney, is connected with the Royal Indemnity Co.

Thomas Dee (of the Concord Dees) quarterback in 1916, returned from a business trip in the Middle West and went to the Heights to see the St. Anselm's game.

1922

NATHANIEL J. HASENFUS
83 Tennyson Street, West Roxbury

 **Clement Jordan**, resident of Chicago, has passed the bar of the State of Illinois and is practising law in his adopted city.

Bernard Farrell, former Newton selectman, is a candidate for elective office in Newton again this fall.

Dudley Tenney is with Montgomery Ward Co. in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Dudley and Dudley, Jr., spent the summer on Cape Cod.

BOSTON COLLEGE

Editorial Comment

WILLIAM H. MARNELL

ALUMNI FIELD OR FENWAY PARK

After the long, perplexing search for a new football coach, after the tenseness and anxiety as to the team's showing under the new dispensation, to the hearts of those alumni to whom the football team and its fortunes are major concerns there has come the peace of contentment. The wand has been waved, and the misty magic of Notre Dame has taken its effect. One writes in the lyric afterglow of the Last Five Minutes against Auburn. When the difficulties of replacing one set of automatic reactions by another, usually known as "introducing a new system," are weighed against the progress made to date, even the most chauvinistic are contented. Charles Lamb tells us of a friend, one who would today be called a columnist, who used to inform his readers, in some detail, after all other topics had failed, that the pawnbroker's three balls were borrowed from the royal coat of arms of the Lombards. In the spirit of Charles Lamb's friend, we open anew the question of the relative desirability of Alumni Field and Fenway Park as the home grounds for Boston College football.

It is not our purpose to advocate the one or the other, but rather to marshal, with whatever objectivity lies in our power, the arguments pro and con. The school of thought that favors Alumni Field points out that the setting is collegiate, the atmosphere more desirable, the seats are closer to the playing field, and in some fashion hard to put in words one senses a greater appropriateness in playing games at the Heights than in a professional ball park. To these are the added considerations that parking facilities are adequate, in a day when most people drive to games Boston College is easily accessible, and that games played at the Heights entail no large rental fee for a playing field. They point out that, except for the game with Holy Cross, the College team rarely if ever draws a crowd that would overtax the facilities of Alumni Field. They maintain that the distance to Alumni Field has

proved itself no obstacle, advancing as evidence the size of the crowds at last year's freshman game with Holy Cross, and at what should have been a far stronger attraction, this year's game with Auburn. They conclude with the contention that there are no practical arguments strong enough to counterbalance the thesis which all men concede, that in the abstract games at the Heights are more desirable.

To this the proponents of Fenway Park reason thus. It is by no means certain that Alumni Field is not too remote, the large crowds which have gathered there on occasion may have been attracted by bargain bills (there is a theme for a separate editorial here), parking facilities are not, on the whole, so good as in the neighborhood of Fenway Park, while it is true that crowds have not as yet been obtained that would tax Alumni Field, it is the studied aim of the Athletic Association to attract crowds that would. Thus games at Alumni Field have a limited potential audience, which in turn places a limit on the guarantees which can be assumed, and this in turn places a limit on the schedule which can be played. To this the cognoscenti add certain arguments the weight of which is not generally appreciated. When Boston College schedules a game with the University of Siberia, which has won renown out on the steppes, or with Congo Tech, which has blazed trails of glory through the southland, the contract offers the visiting team its choice of a flat guarantee or a proportionate share of the gate, whichever is the larger. Thus the visiting team wishes to play in the largest stadium available, having nothing to lose if the game fails to draw and much to gain if it is a large financial success. Obviously Siberia and Congo will not consent to play on a field of limited seating capacity. Furthermore, Boston is in one respect unique among the sporting centers of America. It is surrounded by towns and cities rich in local pride and tradition, supporting first class high school teams that play a smart, alert, modernized game at prices stream-lined to the depression pocketbook. These high schools are rich wells of material for college teams throughout the East, but the picture has a reverse side. In no other metropolitan area is high school football a financial rival to college football. This fact has sharply decreased the crowds at college games in Boston, and renders it unlikely that this area will support more than two big-time college teams. Harvard's position is probably unassailable, and for twenty years Boston College has had the other major team. It is clearly to the economic advantage of the Fenway Park organization to harbor the second major team. If Boston College plays its games at the Heights, the present cordial relations between the College and Fenway Park will end,

and they will become business rivals. Excluding Technology, which does not play football, and Tufts, which has a long-established and very sensible athletic policy, there are six other colleges (here nameless), any one of which might conceivably be promoted into the other major team in the Boston area.

Thus on one side is arrayed the preponderance of sentimental and, as it were, aesthetic arguments; on the other, the balance of practical considerations. The conclusion is by no means certain that the practical arguments should prevail; there are times to seek the practical, and times to avoid it. But this much is inescapable; big-game football and the present facilities of Alumni Field are incompatible. Alumni Field and Fenway Park are merely symbols; the real question is whether Boston College should aspire to major football, with its pitfalls, or minor football, with its limitations. The question is decidedly an open one. Graduates are reminded that the ALUMNI NEWS has a Letter Box, in which Constant Reader, Pro Bono Publico, and Former Friend can vent their views.

ELSEWHERE

☞ One of the significant developments in alumni activity at Boston College has been the growth of the now imposing chain of Boston College clubs in eastern Massachusetts. Each Monday evening at the headquarters of the Bowling League, impressive evidence of this growth is manifested, as one Suburban Heights vies with another for the guerdon. For some years there has been alumni activity outside the more immediate pale of the Sacred Cod; a Boston College Club of New York has long flourished.

Within the past few weeks clubs have been organized in Connecticut, Rhode Island, and Washington, D. C. Trebly welcomed, the three of them. Steps are being taken to organize clubs in Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania. Western Massachusetts is also on the docket, as are some subdivisions of the local scene still without representation. Thus the movement grows apace, and if this diffusion of activity does not result in triviality, much good can result.

Your officers have under consideration the possibility of a universal Boston College Communion Sunday next Spring. Each club would be encouraged to hold a communion breakfast

that Sunday in its local community; the Newton club might reasonably hold its meeting at the College, and act as host to the Rector. Possibilities are numerous; a radio broadcast of part of the local function might be possible, its reception at the functions throughout the East a possibility. An imposing show might thus be made; a total attendance of 4000 men is within the limits of reasonable expectation. All this is still in the discussion stage, but nothing could better symbolize the activity of these local units which are in intent the links in our chain.

AFTER FIVE DAYS, RETURN . . .

☞ Among the stock phrases of American life, phrases so ubiquitous that they pass unnoticed, phrases like "Keep to the Right," "Stop, Look, and Listen," and perhaps "No Parking Here," the phrase "After Five Days, Return. . . ." holds an honored place. Virtually every business letter bears it, the return address below has its identifying value to the addressee, yet the significance of the phrase to the concern thus pledging itself to redeem those epistolary doves which find no rest for the soles of their feet passes unnoticed.

Consider what it means to the ALUMNI NEWS. Last year the sum paid out for mail returned ran over \$100.00. One hundred dollars, and then some, means much to a chronically debilitated treasury such as that of your organization. Yet that is the sum paid yearly for the return of incorrectly addressed mail issuing from the Alumni office. Let us consider another aspect of the same problem. For fifteen years an alumnus resident in the Middle West has been addressed at a residence within a stone's throw of St Mary's Hall. For those many years notices of purely local interest, announcements of local functions and the like have poured to his erstwhile home, all grist for the ragman's mill. This also costs money.

The moral is the evident one. If each alumnus would make himself responsible for informing the Alumni office of the changes in residence of one man, himself, the problem is solved. The redemption of antiquated copies of ALUMNI NEWS is gall and wormwood to your treasurer; the mailing of pointless announcements sears the soul of your secretary. A slight touch of cooperation ends all that. Verb. sap. sat.

George McKim is principal of the Roxbury Evening High School.

Members of '22 will be sorry to hear of the passing of **Eugene M. Danehy** and **George Gallagher** in September. Both men were classmates of '22 at B. C. H. in 1918.

Frank S. Sullivan is in the employ of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. Frank was an outfielder on the Arlington Club's softball team in the Alumni League this past summer.

Fred A. Burke is in business in Cleveland.

John J. Nyhan is the Western Massachusetts and Eastern Connecticut representative for S. S. Pierce Co.

William H. O'Brien is on the state payroll in the Traffic department.

Bernard F. Healy, hockey player in 1919-1920, is in business in Chicago. In Chicago, too, is **Arthur Cusick**, who joined his brother Ed there recently.

Walter Markham has become one of Eastern Massachusetts's leading basketball officials

Ben Harrington is in the postal service in Malden.

Ralph J. Shea, hockey manager in 1921-1922, is travelling for Standard Brands, Inc.

Daniel J. Hayes is in the oil business in Oklahoma and lives at the Tulsa Club in Tulsa, Okla.

Does anyone know the address of **Francis P. White**, **Joseph E. Bellefontaine**, **Theophilus Geoffrion**? If so would kindly send it along to your correspondent at the above address?

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Foley have announced the arrival of a daughter, Susan.

1923

GERALD F. COUGHLIN

49 Stanton Street, Dorchester

The seventeenth annual class banquet will be held at the University Club shortly after Christmas. Notices will be sent out soon.

Al Lashway, manager of the Strand Theatre in Pawtucket, was recently elected president of the Boston College Club of Rhode Island.

Tom Eccles is teaching English at Boston English High School

Rev. Edmund W. Croke is director of the C. Y. O. in St. Theresa's parish, West Roxbury.

The Alumni Bowling League Trophy has been named for the late **John A. Ecker**.

A Christmas List

FOR OLD GRADS

§ Turn down the gas under the spare ribs, Irving, and tell that man at the door to come back Tuesday. Daddy is busy writing a Christmas story for a lot of former scholastic philosophers out in the woods of Dorchester and Roslindale who have become so wrapped up in the real estate and insurance business that they think scientia media is a fancy name for the barber's itch.

Christmas, or Yuletide as I have nicknamed it, is a big day in my life and I threatened to leave the Democratic Party this year when President Roosevelt tried to change it from December 25th to November 30th so as to shorten the football season and keep the children off the streets on Hallowe'en. Jim Farley begged and pleaded for me to stay, however, because Colonel Lindbergh and I are the only two guys in the United States who understand the difference between an offensive weapon and a defensive weapon and Lindbergh is a Republican. So I finally consented to let bygones be bygones after proposing a plan of my own to change Sunday to Wednesday in order to make more people go to church in the middle of the week. But that is another story which will be filmed soon by Metro Goldwyn Mayer with Rin-Tin-Tin coming out of retirement to play the leading role.

Well, as I started to say before I was rudely interrupted by that long distance telephone call from Hedy Lamarr, Christmas is a big day in my life. I look forward to Noel, as Bee Lillie and I jokingly refer to it while killing a bird and a bottle after the show, because it serves as an excuse for me to distribute a large quantity of presents among my wide circle of friends and relatives. There is nothing I like better than giving gifts unless it is receiving them. Unfortunately I don't receive many because the friends I travel with are mostly the type of people who figure that a card is enough and I don't get anything from my family because they feel that I get enough from them during the other 364 days of the year without rubbing it in on the 25th of December.

But, as I say, I love to give gifts and along about this time of the year I shun the theatre and the symphony and tell the fair sex that I will see it later and spend all my spare hours in the seclusion of my study with my Meerschaum pipe, working on my Christmas list. My Christmas list is so long that when I take it downtown on a shopping tour I hire a fireman to sit on the back end and steer the rear wheels going around corners, like a hook and ladder. The Eskimos use it for a totem pole.

This year I had more time on my hands than usual so in addition to banging out a couple of Christmas lists for myself and the fellow across the street, I banged out a special one for

the Boston College Alumni Association. This is a tailor-made creation with notch lapels which would sell for \$49.50 retail and I know you will be interested in it because it enumerates several suitable gifts which the average Boston College graduate could give to Boston College.

To make it easier for you, I have given each gift a number. If you have any doubt about which gift you should present to the College, simply pick the fourth figure in your annual income, find it below, and cough up the corresponding remembrance. If your annual income doesn't run into four figures, you've got an awful nerve to be reading this article.

1. A new Tower Building. The old Tower Building is all right but it wouldn't do any harm if some old grad gave Boston College a new one. What we need around here is more Tower buildings.

2. Bus service from Lake Street to the campus and return. I know several people who won't visit Boston College because they feel that the hill is too much for them.

3. \$175,864.50.

4. Jobs for the Class of 1939. While you are about it, you might as well throw in a few positions for the Class of 1929, too.

5. A new broom for Billy Fraser.

6. A new gymnasium to keep some of those big football players from putting on weight during the winter months.

7. An indoor board track to keep Jack Ryder's stop watch from catching cold during the winter months. The mile relay team broke a record on University Heights last February but didn't receive credit for it because Ryder's watch was blowing its nose while the anchor man ran the last two laps. It was an old record (Artie Shaw's "Copenhagen") and it was slightly cracked, anyway, so nobody minded.

8. A few gallons of ice cream to keep Charlie O'Rourke from losing weight during the winter months.

9. An interlinear translation of the Odes of Horace. Boston College is always glad to receive an interlinear translation of the Odes of Horace. In fact, some of the freshmen can't get along without it.

10. A few football games.

11. A ballroom large enough for the Alumni Association dinner dance on the night before the Holy Cross football game. It looks as though the Alumni Association will have to hire the Boston Garden next year and even then you will have a hard time trying to get a table. The crush on the dance floor was so bad this year that a dress suit belonging to a friend of mine came apart at the seams.

12. A few sprigs of holly and berries. We could use a few sprigs of holly and berries to brighten the old place up a bit.

These suggestions should hold you for awhile. If you can't find a suitable gift for Boston College on that list, don't come around bothering me for more advice. I haven't quite made up my own mind about what I will give Alma Mater. I am thinking of donating a McCarthy Memorial Stadium with a circular gridiron so that all seats will be on the fifty-yard line. However, win, lose or draw, I am going to wish you all the joys of Christmas, or the festive day, as W. C. Fields and I call it after we have had a few.

JOSEPH MCCARTHY.

Dr. James G. Reardon is president of the rapidly growing Posse School of Kendall Green, Mass.

Rev. Norbert McInnis is senior curate at St. John the Evangelist Church, Winthrop.


R. Gaynor Wellings is Treasurer of the Alumni Association.

Harry Mullawney is head of a thriving fuel oil business in Brookline.

Myles McSweeney is on the editorial staff of the Boston American. **Myles** has six children but yields the palm to **Ed Garrity** who has seven.

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ANTHONY E. LE BLANC
41 Amsden Steet, Arlington

 **Eugene Campbell** is manager of the Newton office for the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Joseph J. Casey is in business in Baytown, Texas.

Frank Chadbourne is teaching in Barre, Vt.

Max Connolly is practising dentistry in Dorchester.

Rev. George W. Corcoran is at St. Dominic's parish at Portland, Me.

John Fee is doing statistical work for the Crosby Steam Gage and Valve Co. of Charlestown.

If you know the address of **Joseph P. Cannon** or **George E. Hughes** kindly send it along so that we can put them on our mailing list.

Frank Kilcoyne of the English faculty at Brooklyn College was recently appointed publicity director of that institution by President Gideonse.

John J. Barrett is an administrative officer of the Norfolk Prison Colony.

John T. Beaver is a superintendent of the W. F. Schrafft Corp.


Bob Bond is manager of the Allied Purchasing Co., Chicago. The arrival of the fifth child in his home was recently announced.

George A. Douglas, also the father of five children, is assistant director of subscription branches for the McCall Corporation in New York.

Dr. James T. Brosnan was among the bridegrooms of the past spring. **Pea** is practising and living in Worcester.

1925

WILLIAM ARTHUR REILLY
14 Arborway, Jamaica Plain

 **George Paul Smith**, President of the Boston Life Underwriters Association, was host to Eliot Roosevelt, son of the President, on the occasion

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of the recent dinner of the Life Underwriters.

Daniel J. Lynch, Executive Secretary, to His Excellency Governor Leverett Saltonstall, has been invited to be the guest speaker for a meeting of the Class to be held in December.

Rev. Joseph Regan has returned to China after a six months' stay in this country. He will undertake the work of erecting a chapel in the Chinese Mission Field as the result of funds raised during his visit to the United States.

Gerard Slattery, manager of Radio Station WCOP, Boston, continues as the sole representative of the Class in the field of radio and advertising.

Clarence Flahive is manager of the Montgomery, Ward Company, Kingston, N. Y.

Joseph A. Beattie is manager of the Franklin Settlement House, Detroit, Mich.

Rev. Jeremiah Gearan is at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Brighton, suffering from a severe attack of arthritis.

Other members of the Class now clergymen are located as follows:

Rev. John Brown, St. Mary's Church, East Quincy; **Rev. Joseph P. Burke**, Melrose; **Rev. Thomas L. Burns**, Waban; **Rev. John E. Cormey, O.S.B.**, Portsmouth Priory, R. I.; **Rev. Daniel C. DeCourcey**, Lowell; **Rev. Timothy Howard**, St. Charles Rectory, Waltham; **Rev. John J. Keahane**, St. John's Church, Cambridge; **Rev. Ernest R. MacDonald**, Lexington; **Rev. Arthur J. Riley**, St. John's Seminary, Brighton; **Rev. William H. Sherry**, St. Mary's Rectory, Cambridge.

Twenty-five ex-members of the Class of 1925 are Priests in the archdiocese of Boston.

Lt. George Lermond is located (according to the last word received) at Tientsin, China.

Maximillion Kowalski was recently made Town Counsel in Salem.


"Tref" Maloney is publisher of the Daily World's Fair newspaper in New York.

William E. O'Brien is located with the McGraw Electric Company, Elgin, Illinois.

George F. Donovan is President of Webster College, Webster Grove, Missouri.

Fred Mahony is Vice-President of Dyer and Company, prominent real estate company of Brookline and Boston.

Alumni Loyalty Fund

 The reports on the Alumni Loyalty Fund to date have been most encouraging. While the number of contributors to date is not as great as it has been at a corresponding period in past years, yet the total amount realized from the contributions are far in excess of the amount received through the payment of the former annual dues.

No definite amount is solicited. One dollar is the minimum. There is no maximum. Each alumnus is asked to contribute an amount to be set by his own conscience. It is earnestly hoped that the name of every alumnus of Boston College can be included in the booklet which will be printed listing the contributors.

A tablet to be displayed in the Alumni office will record each year the Club and the Class which has the highest percentage of contributors to the Loyalty Fund.

The Club standing to date is:


1—Cambridge	14—Rhode Island
2—Brockton	15—Lowell
3—Brookline	16—Winthrop
4—Brighton	17—Hyde Park
5—Arlington	18—Waltham
6—Newton	19—Dedham
7—Malden-Medford-Melrose	20—Dorchester
8—Washington, D. C.	21—Quincy
9—West Roxbury	22—Lawrence
10—New York	23—Somerville
11—Belmont	24—Roxbury
12—Salem	25—Lynn
13—Central Massachusetts	

The Class standing to date follows:

1—1914	15—1916	29—1907
2—1919	16—1922	30—1901
3—1929	17—1924	31—1927
4—1906	18—1930	32—1934
5—1908	19—1928	33—1902
6—1909	20—1915	34—1932
7—1878-1900*	21—1926	35—1936
8—1912	22—1921	36—1935
9—1910	23—1923	37—1937
10—1920	24—1900	38—1938
11—1911	25—1925	39—1939
12—1904	26—1918	40—1933
13—1913	27—1903	41—1905
14—1917	28—1931	

* Due to the small size of these classes, they are grouped together.

GRADUATE CHEMISTS' CLUB

 All alumni who have received the degree of Master of Science in Chemistry from Boston College are invited to attend a meeting, which is to be held in the Science Building on Wednesday evening, December 6, at 7:30 P. M.

This meeting will afford the graduates an opportunity to meet the members of the faculty in Chemistry and to see the developments in the department.

In the last issue of the NEWS a history of Chemistry at Boston College by Rev. Anthony G. Carroll, S.J., related the great progress that had been made in this department in recent years. The forthcoming meeting will provide an opportunity to acquire an even more intimate acquaintance with the department and the men that direct it.

Boston College Clubs

WASHINGTON, D. C., CLUB

President.....Patrick D. Cronin, '99
Vice-Presidents.....Dr. Edward J. Cummings, '11,
Charles P. Nolan, '31
Secretary.....J. Edward Collins, '34
Treasurer.....John J. Hurley, '34
Directors.....Thomas J. Flavin, '26, Rev. John F. Monahan, '10,
James E. Davis, '38, and Richard H. Stanton, '38

The first meeting of the Club was held at The Lee House on October 19, with approximately 50 men in attendance. ..Officers were elected and a program for the Club discussed. The next meeting will be held on the day of the Holy Cross game when the Club hopes to have arrangements completed for a broadcast of the game.

Rev. William J. Kenealy, S.J., Dean of the Law School, was the principal speaker at the first meeting.

Among those in attendance were: William Adams, Jr., '38; John F. Barrett, '31, Peter W. Collins, '34, Joseph M. Creed, '38, Anthony P. Flynn, '36, Charles A. Gallagher, '31, John F. X. Gaguin, '39, Fred J. Garrity, '36, Arthur Grimes, '38, John M. Hart, '38, John T. Henderson, '39, Brother Clarence Herlihy, '28, John J. Larkin, '36, Daniel Lyons, '07, John J. Murray, '29, Joseph A. Muldoon, '18, James E. O'Hearn, '36, John Patterson, '33, William J. Rooney, '12, Edward Ryan, '38, Edward L. Roddan, '20, James I. Rooney, '21, Charles F. Sharkey, '17, John E. Shaw, '38, and Joseph W. Shea, '31.

RHODE ISLAND CLUB

President Alexander L. Lashway, '23
Vice-Presidents.....James L. Hanley, '19; John P. Cronin, '27
SecretaryArthur F. Dowd, '24
Treasurer.....Dr. Thomas L. O'Connell, '29
ChaplainRev. Joseph P. McNamara, '19
Directors: Joseph L. Breen, Law, '35; William J. Boehner, '34;
Francis L. Murphy, '28; David Rogell, '33; Charles X
Sampson, '36, and Joseph P. Flynn, '21.

The organization meeting of the Boston College Club of Rhode Island was held at the Providence Biltmore Hotel on Tuesday evening, October 17. Following the dinner and the business meeting, the members were addressed by Francis J. Roland, '19, Alumni President; Rev. Patrick H. Collins, S.J., Faculty Director; John P. Curley, Graduate Manager, and Rev. W. Edmund Fitzgerald, S.J., of the College Faculty.

The next meeting will be held at the Biltmore, Tuesday, November 21. A buffet lunch will be served and motion pictures of the Boston College football games will be shown through the courtesy of Father Collins. Notify Al Lashway at the Strand Theatre, Pawtucket, if you plan to attend.


Alumni from the neighboring towns in Massachusetts are invited to join the Club.

CONNECTICUT CLUB

 At a meeting of the Connecticut alumni held in the Hotel Bond, Hartford, on Thursday, October 26, it was decided to organize as a Boston College Club.

1926

WILLIAM J. CUNNINGHAM
40 Tennyson Street, West Roxbury

 **Rev. Daniel Dunn** has been transferred to St. John's and St. Hugh's Church in Roxbury after many years in Newton Highlands.

The sympathy of the Class is extended to **Dr. John Fallon** on the recent death of his father.

Rev. James Monks, S.J., and Rev. Frank Corcoran, S.J., are back from Rome and are now stationed at Weston.

Rev. Paul Rock is now at St. Joseph's Church after a summer at Newburyport.

The class is considering the possibility of holding a week-end retreat at Campion Hall in the spring.

Arthur Murray is operating his own photographic supply and equipment business in Park Square opposite the Statler.


The annual class banquet will be held on Saturday, January 20 in the Boston room of the Hotel Kenmore. The avowed purpose of the dinner is to get some men there who have been missing for years. The general committee met at **President Bill Cunningham's** home on October 20 and discussed the plans. **Dr. Art Gorman, Jim Hickey, John Dooley, Charlie Schroeder** and **Joe Beecher** are active on the committee under the chairmanship of **Jim Nagle**. Famous little **Billy Fraser** is coming to talk about this and that in his many years at the Heights. The boys are also especially anxious to hear from Coach Leahy.

Al Keenan is factory branch manager in Lynn for E. I. Dupont de Nemours Co. and is living at 4 Fairview Road, Lynnfield.

Frank Greelish recently announced the birth of his third child. Frank is Retail Sales Supervisor for the Good-year Tire and Rubber Co. in Boston.

1927

THOMAS C. HEFFERNAN
17 Arbroth Street, Dorchester

 Twenty class members attended the first fall dinner meeting of 1927 at the Hotel Lenox on Wednesday evening, November 1. **Daniel H. O'Leary**, former class treasurer and globe trotter extraordinary, entertained with an intimate account of his observations and escapades in fourteen European countries during ten months of a re-

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cent sabbatical leave. **John Toomey**, of the Cambridge Latin School, initiated a discussion on football which brought forth entertaining narratives by **Bill Ohrenberger** and **Joe McKenney**. **Larry Thornton**, who was recently named by Most Rev. Richard J. Cushing as soloist at the 11.30 Mass at Sacred Heart Church, Newton, sings some old favorites to the accompaniment of **Joseph Hopkinson** of Public Latin School.

The next class meeting will be at the Hotel Lenox on Wednesday evening, December 27, 1939. A surprise program is in the making.

Vin O'Connell, **Marty Tierney**, and **Pierce Fitzgerald** are members of the Rindge Technical School faculty; **Joe Flynn** is sub-master at the Roberts School; and **Steve Bridey**, formerly at Natick High School, is teaching at Cambridge High and Latin.

Fred McDermott and **Fred Harkins** are practising law at 975 Great Plains Avenue, Needham.

Jack Conway is an agent on mortgage loans for a Boston savings bank.

Walter Waldron is now directing a retail and mail order shoe business from 1167 Blue Hill Avenue, Dorchester.

Regular attendants at class meetings are **Daniel O'Connell** of Mechanic Arts High School, **Francis X. Sullivan** and **Thomas A. O'Keeffe** of the High School of Commerce; **John Dampsey** of Arlington Junior High School East, and **Ray Finegan**, Boston Globe sports editor.

In the Great and General Court of Massachusetts, as representative from Cambridge, we have attorney **Jerry Sullivan**.

Add to Stork Club: **Flavel D. Ray**, whose son, Richard, was born on October 12, 1939.

Rev. Walter J. Leach is now stationed at St. Cecilia's Church, Boston.

To **Larry Thornton** the class extends deep sympathy on the recent death of his mother.

James B. Connors deserted the ranks of the bachelors on October 28.

Rev. William J. Maguire has been transferred to the Immaculate Conception Church in Everett.

Rev. Edwin F. Carey is stationed at St. Patrick's parish in Lowell.

Howard Buckley continues to build and sell real estate in West Roxbury.

And we continue to hope for more notes from interested class mates.

To assist in the work of organization regional committees were appointed to contact the men in the different cities where meetings will be held prior to the next general meeting of the Club. Appointed to these committees were: Frank Delear, '36, Bridgeport; Joseph C. Fitzgerald, '13, New Haven; Joseph Tribble, '24, and Mark Crehan, '29, Hartford; Charles Monahan, '26, Thompsonville; and Rev. Arthur P. Hanley, '30, Waterbury.

The next meeting of the Club will be held in Hartford on Friday, December 8, at which time officers will be elected and a program for the year arranged.

For information on this meeting contact Joseph L. Tribble, '24, 54 Victoria Road, Hartford. It is planned to invite the undergraduates from Connecticut and the members of the Faculty whose homes are in Connecticut to this meeting.

At the first meeting the guests included Rev. John L. Bonn, S.J., of the College Faculty; John S. Keohane, '14, Vice-President of the Alumni Association, and the Alumni Secretary.

Besides the aforementioned, the committee to arrange for the next meeting was selected from among those present as follows: Henry M. Deary, '27; Dr. Timothy L. Curran, '34; Dr. Charles J. Hart, '35 and Louis J. Mercier, '36.

BELMONT CLUB

President.....Thomas C. Herlihy, '26, 10 Garfield Road
Vice-Presidents.....Dr. Arthur Falvey, '16, 35 Clark Street
John S. B. Sullivan, '40, 13 Edgemoor Road
Secretary.....Francis J. Dillon, '20, 47 Richardson Road
Treasurer.....David J. O'Connor, '33, 137 Trapelo Road
Directors: William A. Fouhy, '39, Albert F. Smith, '16, Joseph Dee, '17.

At a meeting held on October 30th, the above officers were elected for the year 1939-40. An extensive program has been planned and it is hoped that every alumnus living in Belmont will participate in the Club's activities.

BRIGHTON CLUB

President.....Hugh C. McGrath, '01
Vice-Presidents....E. Mark Sullivan, '00; Robert F. Mahoney, '35
Secretary.....Joseph A. Carty, '28
Treasurer.....Peter Murphy, '37

A dinner and reception to Coach Frank Leahy will be given in the American Legion Hall, Chestnut Hill Avenue, Brighton, on Thursday, November 16. Ed Morrissey, '30, is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements. John Sullivan, '21, will serve as toastmaster.

CAMBRIDGE CLUB

☞ The Boston College Club of Cambridge held its annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, October 29, at the Hotel Commander, following Mass at St. Paul's Church. Speakers included Mayor John W. Lyons of Cambridge, Michael E. Fitzgerald, '13, Superintendent of Cambridge Schools, Rev. George F. Dowd, '24, Diocesan Director of the C. Y. O., John Gill, Alumni Secretary, and Rev. John J. Long, S.J., Dean of the College.

On November 3, the Club held its annual football night at the Hotel Commander. The speakers included Rev. Patrick H. Collins, S.J., '23, John P. Curley, '13, Coach Frank Leahy and Auburn Coach Jack Meagher, and Alumni President Francis J. Roland, '19.

The Cambridge Club will sponsor a lecture by Rev. Francis E. Low, S.J., '11, at the Longfellow School on Sunday, December 10, at 3 p. m. Last year a lecture by Father Low in Cambridge attracted an audience of more than 1400 people and it is expected that this year's program may prove ever more attractive as Father Low has chosen for his subject, "The German-Russian Pact and its Consequences."

CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS CLUB

President J. Lester Shea, '17, has announced that the Annual banquet will be held at the Hotel Kendall, Framingham, on November 28th. Very Rev. William J. Murphy, S.J., President of the College, will be the principal speaker. Also scheduled to appear are Rev. Patrick H. Collins, S.J., Athletic Director, Alumni President Francis J. Roland, '19, and Football Coach Frank Leahy. For reservations apply to President Shea, Holiston, Mass.

DORCHESTER CLUB

PresidentEdward F. Murphy, '29
Vice-PresidentsArthur A. Duffly, '25; Thomas Cudmore, '40
TreasurerJohn E. Dorsey, '26
Secretary.....Francis A. Murphy, '28

On Sunday, October 15, the Club held its annual Communion Breakfast at St. Peter's Church in Dorchester. Rt. Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, LL.D., '32, received the members of the Club with his customary hospitality and graciousness. An excellent program followed the breakfast arranged by Chairman Frank Murphy.

The next event on the Club's program is the annual smoker which will be held early in December.

MALDEN-MEDFORD-MELROSE CLUB

President.....Roger T. Shea, '34, 60 Webster Street, Malden
Vice-Presidents....Joseph E. Cosgrove, 72 Boundary Rd., Malden
Walter H. Cuein, 41, 54 Beach Street, Malden
Secretary.....J. Albert Burgoyne, '36, 112 Magoun Ave., Medford
Treasurer....Geo H. Nicholson, '32, 119 Emerald Ave., Medford

The first meeting of the season was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Florence Street, Malden. Among the speakers was Francis J. Roland, '19, president of the Alumni Association. The Club's Outing was held on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 24, at the Stow Country Club.

NEWTON CLUB

President John F. Desmond, '33
Vice-Presidents....John J. Miskella, Jr., '26, Elmer Ross, Jr., '41
SecretaryJohn A. Duane, '27
TreasurerFrancis A. Frazier, '16
Directors: Rev. Daniel F. Riordan, '24, John S. Keohane, '14, Bernard D. Farrell, '22, and William W. Mathison, '35.

The first event on the Club's calendar for the year will be a dinner and reception to Father Rector which will be held at the College on Tuesday evening, December 5. Among the speakers will be Most Rev. Richard J. Cushing, '17, Auxiliary Bishop of Boston and a member of the Newton Club, Mr. Charles D. Maainnis, noted architect who designed the College buildings, and Frank Leahy, football coach. Charlie Coyle, '21, is chairman of the committee in charge of the dinner.

1928

WILLIAM J. KILLION
20A Waumbeck Street, Roxbury

Besides a lucrative legal practice, Bill Cashman has at last realized his ambition of talking to some one who has to listen to him. He is teaching law at the University Extension Course.

The holy character of the Class is seen from the number of good members of the clergy who have sprung from its ranks: Jim Smith, Mike Durant, Ed McGilvray, and John Lorden, to mention a few.

Dick Condon has been appointed Executive Secretary for the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Bob Donovan, former discus hurler, is doing well in general practice, with an M.D. after his name.

Among those who are molding the character of our youth, and dropping pearls of wisdom daily are Charlie Lynch, Gene Gioux, Wilson Geary, Tod Burke, Bernie (Purcell's) McCabe, and Ken Richards.

If your real estate assessments are too high, see an authority on it. Don Driscoll is in charge of the Real Estate Board in Boston City Hall.

Our ogpu have treked down Tony McCrann. He is a big shot with the Securities Exchange Commission in Washington.

Herb Ott, known in college days, as Hott Erbie, is one of Boston's leading young dentists.

Fred O'Connell is employed by the Standard Oil Co. in Quincy where he makes his home.

Martin W. Mason is the first assistant to the Chief of Research of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. and resides in Nutley, N. J.

1929

EUGENE L. McLAUGHLIN
491 Weld Street, West Roxbury

The class of '29 hereby claims the title of "Most Loyal" for one of its members. Don MacDonald, although living at Lawrence, L. I., has not missed a B. C. football game in ten years.

We though that the St. Joseph's night game would break his string, but not Don and the Mrs. came steaming down Commonwealth Avenue at 8.15, right on deck.

The paraphernalia required for a family of two has become so comber-

some, that **Henry Leen** had to hire a truck to get to Scituate.

Ed Donahue is teaching and coaching at Peabody High.

Bernie Kilroy is a sub-master at the Donald McKay School in East Boston. You can find **Don Sheehan** any day up at the State House.

Marty Whelan and **Dave Dillon** are on the government payroll in Boston.

Jack Kennedy, the Milton flash, is with the John Hancock Insurance Co.

Charlie Bourdelais is a Sales Manager for the Coca-Cola Company.

Our old friend "**Zeus**" "**Wilchester**" has settled down in Bristol, Va.; is married to a Southern Belle and has two children. Our erstwhile decathlon champion is currently playing pro football for the Paterson, N. J., team.

Rex Beach is a color technician in the textile mills at Slatersville, R. I. Rex is also a benedict and has a new arrival.

That rugged fullback of undefeated '28, **Tom Smith**, is teching at Rindge Tech. We are happy to announce that Tom, also, is married.


N. B. The class will positively have the annual banquet and reunion at the Lenox between Christmas and New Years, possibly on the night of Dec. 28, Thursday (adv't). We had over 90 present last year. We should easily exceed the century mark.

Recent benedict, **Ed Connaughton**, was married to Lucy I. Ward of Buffalo at St. Mary's Chapel. Ed is manager of the Buffalo Branch of Annheuser Busch Co.

Rev. Dennis B. Sughrue, C.S.C., is stationed at Holy Cross College, New Orleans, La. He joins a classmate in New Orleans in the person of **Rev. Leo J. Lyons, C.S.C.**, who is at Sacred Heart College in that city. Sounds like the makings of a B. C. Club in the deep South along with **Frank Limont**, '17, who is superintendent of agents for the Pan-American Life Insurance Co. in New Orleans, and **Tom Kelleher**, '26, who looks after the interests of the Tidewater Associated Oil Company there.

1930

DAVID E. HOCKMAN
57 Reservoir Street, Cambridge

 **Reverend Arthur Hanley** is a curate at St. Justin's parish, Hartford, Conn.

Reverend John Joseph Cusack is stationed in Lynn, Massachusetts.

A L U M N I N E W S

QUINCY CLUB

President John B. O'Connor
Vice-Presidents James Ricciutti, '39, Philip Garrity, '40
Treasurer George Fallon, '39
Secretary Andrew O'Brien, '39
Directors: Donald McDonald, '31; Dr. Edmund L. Carey, '31;
Paul Devlin, '39; Joseph King, '36; Robert E. Foy, Jr., '21;
John Dalton, '40.

On Wednesday morning, October 3, the Quincy Club held its initial meeting of the year. The principal speaker of the evening was Rev. Francis E. Low, S.J., who spoke on the spirit which pervades every Boston College man, alumnus and student alike. Francis J. Roland, '19, Alumni President, outlined the Alumni program for the ensuing year. Following the speaking program, a business meeting was held and officers elected.

SALEM CLUB

President.....Edward A. Coffey, '16, 112 Bay View Avenue
Vice-Presidents.....John J. Connelly, Jr., '33, 174 Federal Street
Walter Foran, '39, 48 1/2 Dunlop Street
Secretary.....Fred Tyrell, '34, 34 Broad Street
Treasurer.....Paul Stacey, '32, 102 Tremont Street

The Club, now in its sixth year of existence, conducts an annual Communion Breakfast, banquet, dance and numerous other social events. It has sponsored intercollegiate debates, concerts by the College Music Club, and lectures by members of the College faculty.

SOMERVILLE CLUB

President.....Charles Q. Adams, '29
Vice-Presidents.....Leo C. Donahue, '29, William F. Joy, '40
Treasurer.....Robert F. Radochia, '30
Secretary.....Joseph P. Murray, '37
Directors....Robert J. Glennon, '34, John Kelley, Francis Dickin

The Club has an extensive program planned for the coming year which will include a football night, intercollegiate debate, dinner dance, Communion breakfast and a lecture program.

WALTHAM CLUB

President.....Francis M. Curran, '35, 42 Elson Road, Waltham
Vice-President James P. Lynch, '39, 57 Vernon St., Waltham
Treasurer Bartholomew M. Welch, '31, Lincoln St., Waltham
Secretary.....George M. Manama, 15 Church St., Waltham

The season's activity opened with a dinner early in October at Howard Johnson's in Waltham. At this meeting the club members had an opportunity to meet the student who had been selected as the winner of the club's first scholarship.

The club's team in the Alumni Softball League tied for first place in their division and lost the play-off to Cambridge only after the closest game imaginable by the score of 4-3. Playing on the team were: Paul Mahoney, Philip Quinn, Joseph McManama, Edward Burke, Georae McManama, William Ryan, John Flynn, John Murphy and Francis Curran.

In re: Football

With an average of 87.5% on the right side of the ledger after engaging the first eight opponents on a ten game schedule, it can certainly be said that the Maroon and Gold footballers, in their first year under the tutelage of North Dakota's Frank Leahy, have done their job to the Queen's taste. A 7-0 setback at the hand of Josh Cody's Florida Gators is the only blemish on an otherwise perfect record as the Eagle grid forces prepare for the two final clashes with Kansas State and Holy Cross.

After running wild in the opening encounter with Lebanon Valley and sending their guests back to Annville, Pa., smarting under a 45-0 reverse, the boys ran into a little more opposition than was expected from the St. Joseph's College Hawks (P. O. address: Overbrook, Pa.) but managed to cop the decision. Final score: Boston College, 20; St. Joseph's, 0.

The first real test that the boys had to encounter came on October 12, when twice-beaten Florida invaded Fenway Park. For four periods the boys ran wild up and down the field usually in the direction of Florida's ten-yard line which they reached with comparative ease but were unable to cross. If the payoff had been on yards gained, forward passes completed or anything else than points scored it would have been an easy triumph for the Eagles, but it just wasn't our day and the boys had to go home content with outplaying an opponent who had beaten them 7-0. Florida completed a long pass early in the game that was good for fifty yards and the only score of the day.

The Florida game, however, was just the beginning. The Eagles with one major game, played under the new Notre Dame system behind them, really started to go to town and with Charlie O'Rourke, Vito Ananis, and the popular Lou Montgomery raising havoc with the Temple defenses registered three times for 19 points while holding Temple scoreless.

St. Anselm's College from Manchester, N. H., boasting one of the best small college teams in the country and one of the country's best backs in Ray McLean, next visited University Heights. The home boys, mindful of the scoreless tie to which they had been held by these same Hawks last year, went all the way out and did not quit until they had 28 points safely tucked away, while holding their own goal line inviolate.

Auburn, all the way from Alabama, coached by Jack Meagher, Frank Leahy's fellow-alumnus, arrived in town on November 4, and, after spending the major part of their visit, appeared to be almost ready to leave with the Eagle's

talons in their trophy trunk. However, with five minutes to go and trailing 7-0, the Maroon and Gold boys, now wearing white, realizing that time was fleeting, gave the customers a practical demonstration of a blitzkrieg, the like of which is seldom if even seen on these shores. Starting on their own twenty, aided by a series of razzle-dazzle plays that would put the pros to shame, the boys covered the distance to the opponent's end zone in jig time to tie the score. Spurning a tie game, they started right off again and after getting the ball from Auburn on downs, and with the aid of an O'Rourke pass which covered fifty yards, registered again. With seconds remaining Auburn took the kick-off and immediately uncorked a pass which was intercepted on the Boston College twenty. Time remained for about one play. O'Rourke again took the ball from center, started around right end, reversed his field and picking up interference as he went along, set sail for the Auburn goal-line eighty yards away. Sixty-five of the eighty yards were behind him when he was knocked out of bounds to bring to a close one of the most exciting football games in the annals of Boston College athletic history.

The following week the boys journeyed to Michigan to repay the visits which Gus Dorais' University of Detroit Titans had made here. After a thrilling game, the Eagles again came through with a victory, this time by the score of 20-13.

Boston University was the next of the victims, returning to Boylston Street after holding the mighty Eagle machine to 19 points.

So as we write this in the midst of a snow storm with the Kansas State game still three days off we feel sure that, come what will in the next two weeks, this season will go down as a success. The boys have played heads-up football all the way. The attendance alone has been disappointing. While on this score let us repeat the statement that has been made so frequently in the past that the future of athletics at Boston College is in the hands of the Alumni. Where the twenty thousand other people who didn't attend the Auburn and Temple games, both outstanding attractions, were on these days is a matter with which the Alumni who are interested in the athletic program should concern themselves. Obviously it is impossible to schedule teams that are in demand unless the attendance warrants it. You hold the key to the future.

Frank Leahy and his capable assistants have certainly justified the confidence which was placed in them a year ago when they were given the coaching reins on the Heights. The team has been great to watch at all times. While the material at the start of the season was not anything to write to the Rose Bowl about, still the team at this date can compete at least on even terms with the best.

Worcester papers please copy.

Ted. Hoppe is ready to initiate you in the Knights of Columbus.

Bill McDonald joined the benedicts this summer and is now living in Andover.

Daniel M. Killoran, M.D., is practising in Lynn.

John Cunney is teaching at Salem High School.

Bill Trainor is assisting **Bill Koen** in preparing a film of moving pictures of College activities which will be ready for exhibition soon.

Joe Kelley was an "active" member of the Belmont Softball Team during the summer.

Ed. Powers is teaching at English High School in Boston.

1931

HERBERT J. O'CONNOR
15 Mapleton Street, Brighton

R. Felix Doherty has taken up his duties as Registrar of the Boston College Law School. Felix received his degree in Law last June.

On Thursday, October 17th, Miss Ruth Cheney of Lowell became the bride of **John M. Walsh**. The bride, an alumna of St. Elizabeth's Hospital Training School, is a sister of **Mr. Ed-**

mund Cheney, S.J., '31. **Pete Sanford**, one of the greatest hockey players in B. C. athletic history, was among the ushers.

In an interesting and spirited campaign **Harry Leen** was recently nominated as Democratic candidate for Mayor of Woburn. In recent years Harry has been the militant chairman of that city's much publicized school committee.

The engagement of **Dr. Edmund L. Carey** and Miss Eleanor Lynch, Simmons alumna, was announced recently.

Donald E. Carey has opened an office for the general practise of law at 11 Beacon Street, Boston, with his brother, A. Kenneth Carey, '34.

George B. Roddy was a visitor in town recently. George represents the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey in New Hampshire and makes his home in Littleton.

The annual Class reunion will be held at the Hotel Lenox on Thursday, December 28. Dinner will be served at 6.30. President **Tommy Meagher** has arranged an excellent program and the biggest attendance in years is expected.

In the Great and General Court of Massachusetts the class is represented

by **Tom McCready** of Jamaica Plain. **Lt. James T. Maynihan** is still assigned to the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla. In addition to his other duties Jim is in charge of the post canteen.

Attending the recent dinner of the Boston College Club of Washington were **John F. Barrett**, **Charles P. Nolan**, **Charles V. Gallagher** and **Joseph W. Shea**. They are in the government employ in the nation's capitol. **John Barrett's** engagement was announced recently. Releases from the Nolan headquarters carry the news of the arrival of a daughter. Most newsworthy item in the Shea camp is Joe's flourishing moustache which really progressed beyond our wildest, fondest, fairest dreams.

Charlie Hoyes is connected with the Post Office department in Lynn.

1932

WILLIAM E. BENNETT
38 Breck Avenue, Brighton

Dr. Hugh Bonner, Jamaica Plain medico, was the hero of the disaster which befell the S. S. President Harding recently.

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December 6 and 7, 8.30 P. M.

Boston College Dramatic Society presents the "Taming of the Shrew," at the Repertory Theatre.

December 8, 7.00 P. M.

Dinner, Boston College Club of Connecticut meets in Hartford.

December 10, 3.30 P. M.

Lecture, Jones I. Corrigan Foundation presents Rev. Terence L. Connolly, S.J., on "The Real Ireland," at the Copley Plaza Hotel.

January 5, 8.00 P. M.

Lecture, Jones I. Corrigan Foundation presents Rt. Rev. Mgr. Fulton J. Sheen on "The Tempo of Modern Revolution" at the Copley Plaza Hotel.

January 24, 6.30 P. M.

Dinner, Varsity Club sponsors Fourth Annual Dinner and Reception to the Football team at the University Club.

Two more members of '32 have announced their intentions of forsaking independence and are planning early weddings. **Arthur J. O'Brien** is engaged to Miss Leah Dalton and the ever adventurous **George Colbert** has already set forth on the high sea of matrimony.

Jim Heggie of Jamaica Plain is the proud father of twin sons born November 2.

Bren Moynihan, track captain in '32, recently visited Boston with his wife after some years in Uncle Sam's flying forces in Hawaii. He is now stationed at Pensacola where he is instructing in the Naval Aviation School.


Gerry Hern on the Boston Post, **Gerry Moore** on the Boston Globe and **Frank Moynihan** on the American are among Boston's leading sports writers.

John Conroy is a member of the Class of 1941 at the School of Social Work.

1933

JAMES M. CONNOLLY

180 Savin Hill Avenue, Dorchester

 **Leonard Carr** is associated with the General Electric Company in the Aircrafts Division of their plant in Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. O'Brien have been presented with a daughter.

Mark Troy has again returned to Seattle, Washington in his interesting business.

Charles F. Donovan, S.J., is Professor of English at Boston College.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Kennedy are the proud parents of a daughter, Mary Ellen Kennedy.

John Hanrahan was recently elected "Whip" of the Chestnut Hill Beagle Hunting Association.

Paul F. Izzo, S.J., is Professor of the honor section of Latin at Holy Cross. **Joseph G. Brennan** was patron of a recent musicale at the College of New Rochelle where he continues as Professor of Philosophy.

Jim Connolly is Chairman of the Committee on Government of the New England Council of Catholic Action. **Dr. Owen Mullaney** is resident surgeon of the Massachusetts Memorial Hospital.


Rev. William J. Riley has been assigned to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Newburyport.

John J. Clancy and **Francis X. Mulligan** are members of the senior class at the School of Social Work.

1934

T. HARNEY DONOHUE

1 Oakland Avenue, Brighton

 **Jack Ahearn, George Keleher and John Dacey** are associated with Lever Bros. in Cambridge.

Reverend Thomas Crump, O.M.I., ordained last Spring, is now doing advanced work in Chemistry at Catholic University.

Jim Sullivan, after having graduated from Harvard Business School, is now a bank examiner for another one of those alphabetical federal agencies, the FDIC.

Bob O'Riley is a social worker, connected with the Cambridge Welfare Department.

Westy Lyons, having deserted the ranks of the bachelors, is in the real state and insurance business in South Boston.

Tony La Camera is doing news and feature reporting for the Boston Sunday Advertiser.

John McManus is connected with the Boston office of the New York Times in their advertising department.

Gerry Barry is a member of the faculty of the Deerfield, Mass., High School.

Ed Sullivan, having gained wonderful experience in driving the College Packard, while he matriculated at Boston College, is now piloting a motorcycle as a State trooper.

Ed Whelan is at present resident physician at the Malden Hospital.

Reverend Leo Ryan is assigned to the Cathedral Rectory at Manchester, N. H. He was stationed during the Summer at St. Patrick's Church at Hampton Beach, N. H.

Joe McLaughlin, our former class treasurer, is now studying for the priesthood at St. Mary's Seminary, in Baltimore, Maryland.

Three of the earliest contributors to the painting of Father McHugh, S.J., that our class is presenting to the College, were **John J. Tierney, Frank Doherty, and John Cogavin**, who have almost completed their studies at St. John's Seminary in Brighton.


One of the boys who has really done something different is **Gene Cronin** of Lowell. At present he is doing seismographic surveying for the National Geophysical Co. in the great southwest. He wrote from Woodville, Texas, which he describes as

"The Big Thicket," but during the course of his labors he has roamed as far north as Kansas.

1935

DR. JOSEPH G. RILEY

Waltham Hospital, Waltham

 The Class held its annual Communion Breakfast at the College on October 29th, with the largest attendance ever. The speakers were Very Rev. William J. Murphy, S.J., President of the College; Rev. W. Edmund Fitzgerald, S.J., Head of the Latin Department; Rev. Patrick H. Collins, S.J., Director of Athletics, and Ernie Schwotzer, captain of the football team. **Gene Donaldson** served as toastmaster.

A business meeting followed the breakfast at which plans were made for the presentation of the Class gift at the 1940 Commencement.

Several members of the Class who are studying for the priesthood were heard from. Among them were **Thomas B. Mulvehill**, who is in the Society of Jesus, and **John J. Regan**, who is studying at St. Thomas' Seminary in Denver, Colo., and who will be ordained in May, 1940.


Dr. James E. Connolly has opened an office for the practise of general dentistry at 208 Essex Street, Salem.

Gerard Shea is enrolled at the School of Social Work.

1936

BRENTON S. GORDON

23 Oak Street, Natick

 **Mark Sullivan**, prominent softball player, is celebrating his first anniversary of association with the Aetna Insurance Co. at 10 Post Office Square.

Louis Bevacqua, recent benedict, is teaching at the University Extension.

John Black, associated with Louis in this work, informs us that his wedding day is not far off either.

Jim Slattery is married and is living in East Hartford, Conn. He is connected with the Hamilton Propellor Works in that city.


John McLaughlin (LL.B., Harvard, '39) was among the members of the Class recently admitted to practise before the Massachusetts bar.

Charles Dolan can be found almost any day down in the Stuart Street leather district where he is representing various manufacturers.

BOSTON COLLEGE

1937

STANLEY J. DRISCOLL
115 Eliot Street, Brookline

 **Frederick J. Adelmann** has entered the Jesuit order at Shadowbrook. **Edward R. Ahearn** has been employed since his graduation from Harvard Business School last June, as an expert accountant for the firm of Q. D. Leidestorf & Co. in New York. He is also continuing his studies at Columbia University and New York University.

Morris E. Blitz has followed a successful career in the hotel business. During the summer he presides as chief steward at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth, and during the winter months he is proprietor of an inn at Miami Beach, Florida.


John J. Burgess is working for his M. A. Degree at the Graduate School, and has been producing some star material as freshman hockey coach at the Heights.

Henry H. Connolly is studying at Tufts Medical School.

George E. Curtin was married on October 14 to Miss Anne B. Moran of Cambridge, sister of **Leo P. Moran**, '30.

1938


JOHN P. GATELY, JR.
180 Magazine Street, Cambridge

 **John Galway** is general manager for the Fanny Farmer stores in Boston. There are a few copies of Sub Turri available and anyone interested in acquiring one should write to John. **Bud Davis** after a busy summer in the Cape League is now back at his studies at Catholic University Law School where he is president of his class. **John Burns** is faculty advisor at Saugus High School.

Ed Supple is in the employ of Lever Brothers along with **Ollie LaRonde**. At the Boston College Club of Washington dinner on October 19, the class of '38 was represented by eight men, the largest class representation present. **Joe Creed**, **Dick Stanton**, **Art Grimes**, **John Shaw**, **Ed Ryan**, **John Hart**, **William "Sparky" Adams** and **"Bud" Davis**. Stanton and Davis were elected to the Club's Board of Directors. Stanton, Ryan, Grimes and Shaw are experimenting on corpses at Georgetown Medical School. Adams is at Georgetown Dental School. Hart is working for the F. B. I. and Creed for the Federal Housing Administration. Both are studying law in the evenings at Georgetown. **Henry Dean** is working for the Goodrich Rubber Co. in Salem.

1939

PAUL DEVLIN
35 Dale Avenue, Quincy

 When the Boston College Law School opened its doors to the Alumni Council of Catholic Action, the Class held an unofficial reunion. **Jim Law** was voted keeper of the organization's funds while **Herb Rooney** was elected to membership on the Activities Committee. **Paul Flynn** was there along with **Joe Brennan**, **John Flynn**, who attends the Law School, **Leo Landry**, **John MacDannell** and **Larry Spillane**.

From St. John's Seminary comes the roster of '39 members as follows: **Walter MacAndrews**, **Robert Nutter**, **Russell Guarcello**, **Thomas McDonald**, **James Joyce** and **John Nelson**. Down in the deep South the Dutch Oil Company has sent **Tim Docey** to protect its interests in Venezuela. **Ed Ferrarone** is studying at Georgetown Medical School.

Paul Ryan, the Irishman with a French complex, has donned the professor's gown.

Arthur Sullivan, **Philip Quinn** and **Fred McCready** are at Tufts Medical School.

At the School of Social Work are **John A. Malloy**, **Paul F. Nagle**, **Edward O'Brien**, **John Powers**, **William L. Quirk**, **Herbert L. Rooney**, **Joseph A. Ryan**, **Thomas J. Travers**, **William J. Vaughan**, **John J. Baldi**, **Benjamin Chiampa**, **Gene H. Donovan**, **John V. Driscoll**, **Edward C. Foley**, **David J. Hurley**, **Edward V. Kilduff** and **Harold Langlois**. . . A the Heights with Fellowships, **Joe Durant**, **Frank McDermott** and **Henri Valade** . . . at Boston Teachers' College, **Vin Yenulevich** . . . at work, **John Roddy** with Lever Brothers, **Frank Hyland** with the Telephone Company, **Tom Bradley** with Filene's.

Necrology

Vincent P. Masterson, '04
April 10, 1939

Rev. John A. Flaherty, '11
August 24, 1939

Eugene M. Danehy, '22
September 29, 1939

Alphonsus A. R. Doyle, '19
October 9, 1939

Dr. Henry L. Doherty, '16
October 9, 1939

Rev. Thomas H. Miley, S.J., '99
October 13, 1939


Justin Cronin, '33
November 12, 1939

Hon. Pierce Butler, LL.D., '39
November 16, 1939

Rev. Michael L. Tanra, '19
November 17, 1939

Rev. John D. Butler, S.J.
November 23, 1939
Requiescant in pace!

hear - hearsay

 In this space I could write on many things. About the "Possibilities of Restaurant Coffee in Chemical Warfare," or a "Journey Thru the Park Square Building on Your Own" . . . Great latitude there . . . or, perhaps, a few hints on "The Technical Approach to Sweet and Sour Spare-ribs."

But I elect to write about Nothing. Nothing is something of which there is an awful lot of. Untangle

that) Nothing can be anything. Anything can be nothing.

It can be the gist of a question or the meat of an answer. It requires no words sometimes and a tome others. It is not only a result, it can be a cause or an effect. It is, in its way, a loose term for something.

"What are you doing?" You may be busy plotting a way to con the cigarette concession at Shangri La away from the new Llama, yet you answer, "Nothing"

"What did he say.." Perhaps some radio beamer has just talked himself

tongued tied, yet you say, "Nothing." "Anything new?" The massive lens of a new cloud-poking periscope may have ascertained that the Moon really is Munster, still, that off-hand "Nothing."

Summarily, it saves cogitation and clonks conversation. It is Sesame in the inverse with a bafnack on the gloden, combining the virtues of a kisskaden with a finevessi for a grand slam.

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TOM HARTY.

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Letter

TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor of ALUMNI NEWS:

As a faithful reader of your excellent periodical I demand an explanation of a letter signed "Enteu-then Exelaunei" which appeared in a recent issue.

Is our ALUMNI NEWS to be a serious, scholarly publication or must it descend to the level of a sounding board for any and every crackpot who feels the urge to put his prattling pen to paper?

We can but hope that this represents an isolated, extraordinary, yea, unique occurrence and that the next time the editors have space to fill they will resort to the traditional "Compliments of a Friend."

At first I passed lightly over this aforementioned communication of unhappy memory, in charity thinking it the work of one knee deep (head first) in his cups, or the moronic driveling of one beyond the pale who wished to frustrate the honest efforts of another who had honestly come by a hat and honestly lost it.

Now sir, hearken to the clue! Shock that this may be to many of you, I am convinced that E. Exelaunei is the pen name of a Stalinite, a red revolutionary, a wild-eyed, bomb-tossing Communist who may well have had designs not only on the ill-fated hat, but possibly too, on Billy Fraser's broom or a balcony table for the Alumni Supper Dance.

Sir, he is attempting to bore from within. "B. C. A. A. delenda est" is the order from Moscow.

No reason for my statements can be given. All I say is reread (or perhaps better, read) the letter from Exelaunei's poisoned pen. If the cleverness of this worm's termitic activity isn't at once apparent, if the awful truth that our noble eagle's wings have not been the target of the Moscow spray-gun doesn't strike you at once, if you do not resolve to report this immediately to the dice committee, if you — but of course, you will. (Dear me I'm so upset).

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